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EVERGREENS SUITED FOR PLANTING IN OKLAHOMA

By W. E. Rey, Oklahoma Nursery Co., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

In bringing this subject to you I am combining both observation and experience for the last twenty years. In that time we have used many carloads of evergreens from both the North and South. Besides many of our home-grown evergreens as well.

Of these the Chinese arbor vitaes are the most popular and more generally used, the juniper a close second. Of the many varieties of arbor vitae the Chinese Compact type, such as Baker's, Hill's, Chinese Compact Globe, and Bonita are the best green varieties. Aurea conspicua for golden pyramidal and Berkman's Golden for the dwarf type are the best liked and most in ise. However, we have used several other varieties such as the common Chinese open type, the American, Siberian, Rosedale, Woodward's Globe, Texas Blue or Texana Glauca. For various reasons these later varieties are not so satisfactory as something sooner or later happens to them, such as out-growing their usefulness or dying off in July or August; our summer seems to be too much for them. In the Nursery row these evergreens seem to succeed well enough but after transplanting them as specimen or in groups, or in foundation plantings, there is where the dissatisfaction comes. We feel that it is up to the Nurserymen to grow and supply the varieties that will stand the test and give the most universal satisfaction.

Following the arbor vitaes are the juniper family. Beginning with the Juniperus virginiana, and Red or Platt River cedar, these can be used for wind breaks. Hedge rows or single specimens are sheared to pyramidal colummar or globe shapes; these can not be excelled. The Juniperus virginiana glauca and Juniperus scopulorum are very hardy and are used very much when obtainable; these are the most ornamental junipers. The Irish juniper succeeds well, too, as an upright evergreen with its pleasing gray foliage, which makes it very ornamental. The Juniperus pfitzeriana is the most handsome and satisfactory of the low spreading prostrate types. Their distinctive grayish green color and irregular flat spreading habit makes them most desirable for terraces, low groupings or for foreground plantings. The Savin juniper is good, too; its spread and form differ from the Juniper pfitzeriana and its color is a very pleasing rich green and for hardiness it cannot be excelled. Juniper excelsa stricta or Spiny Greek, as it is better known, is a distinct variety of exceptional beauty, its glossy green foliage and many terminal spikes growing so close together make it one of the most desirable dwarf evergreens. These low growing junipers are in a class of their own and fill positions other plants outgrow or lack in quality. We have used other varieties of the junipers but do not like them so well, either on account of them turning so brown in the winter or their inability to stand our summer heat. We have used a great many of the following varieties of junipers in our work here, such as Juniper canadensis, communis, swedish and waukegan; with few exceptions these varieties have not been as satisfactory as the former. All varieties of juniper do best in sandy gravel soil and if the soil conditions are made ideal for them these later varieties give us better results. Our many kinds of

soil make a successful evergreen planting more of a study than is generally given; therefore, we recommend the varieties that are succeeding best under most all conditions.

The Austrian, Ponderosa, Scotch, and Mugho pines are always reliable. They transplant and grow well either as small trees or as specimens, except the Mughos, with which we have had considerable trouble as a small tree in the Nursery row. After the Mugho pine obtains a spread of from one to one and one-half feet it is easily transplanted. We have great faith in the future for the pines here, especially the above mentioned varieties. I think they will come in use more and more as we become more familiar with them. We are testing out at this time several of the Yellow pine and Long Leaf Southern pine which we secured from Southern Texas. These were taken up out of the woods, with halfs of earth and of a dozen specimen all are still living and made a good growth last year. We have also used the White pine but did not find it very satisfactory. The quarantine on White pine blister rust has not affected us as the White pine has never, to my knowledge, done very well here.

The spruce and fir trees are very handsome and although we supply them when requested we do not recommend them for
general use. Of the hundreds of Colorado
Blue spruce that are planted annually here
in the southwest there are less than 5%
that live ten years and less than 10% that
live for five years. So why sacrifice so
many beautiful trees by bringing them to a
climate where they do not grow. Of all the
spruce used the Colorado and Koster's Blue
spruce are most in demand and I will admit
that it is hard to refrain from using them
in our landscape work as their beauty
stands out so strikingly; but how disheartening when a few months later their beauty
begins to fade, the spines turn yellow and
fall off and the tree dies a lingering death.
Why pay such a price for the small per cent
of these trees that do succeed.

For Oklahoma and the Southwest I think the Arizona cypress is going to fill a long felt want in a blue green evergreen. The greatest drawback has been transplanting them successfully as they do not make enough fiber roots to ball well, therefore, making them hard to transplant. But now that is being overcome by placing them in lath houses for ten days, out of the wind and sunshine until they recuperate from being dug. The best method of handling the Arizona cypress is to grow it in tin cans or pots then the roots become pot bound and are easy to transplant. I think the Arizona cypress will come in use more as they become better known because their beautiful silvery blue color makes them very effective as a specimen on the lawn or in a grouping where color is wanted. The Arizona cypress is of a natural pyramidal form with horizontal branches densely covered with soft blue green foliage and a pleasing fragrance all their own.

We have the Italian cypress that is satisfactory but not entirely hardy in zero weather; also the Monterey cypress lacks hardiness. We have not had much luck with the Cedar deodora and Cedar of Lebanon;

perlaps we have not given them sufficient trial yet.

Usually the article that sells best is the cae which we think most of, as a rule, but is not so in this case because we find that in order to keep the public interested continually, we must bring to their attention new varieties or semething different or out of the ordinary. Yet it must grow with some degree of case and be hardy because only a imall per cent of our folk have patience with plants that are hard to grow. Others do not like all coniferous evergreens but rather like a variety so the broad leaf evergreen fills a very important place in this subject, as they have a good range in this subject, as they have a good range in this subject, as they have a good range in this color, form and habit. Of the latter the Ligustrum Amurense or Amur River South privet we find very hardy, easy to grow and with a few shearings each year can be kept in any form desired.

Next come the wax leaf varieties of the ligustrum, which are very useful in formal as well as informal groupings. Ligustrum japonica and Griffing's wax leaf varieties are being used more and more. We hope these ligustrums will stand our Oklahoma winters, as we find them very satisfactory.

We find the Euonymus japonica and the var.egated eucnymus with their golden and silver green foliage are very useful in a general evergreen planting or in a foundation planting with other evergreens.

Nandina domestica with its brilliant red and crimson foliage all winter and pretty clusters of small red berries in the fall makes them a very desriable new evergreen which promises to become very popular in landscape plantings. The nandina in the South is what the new red leaf Japanese barberry promises to be to the North and East.

Mehonia aquilfolium does well here if placed in the shade or partial shade. Boxwood sempervirens does well if planted out in the open ground, but does not succeed in a box. We have been growing some photenia and Cherry laurel for several years and think very much of them. However they are still in the experimental state, as are several varieties of vitosporum and cotoneaster, which have come through fine with ten degrees above zero. But I am doubtful if all of them would go through zero weather without protection. Abelias grandiflora, another broad-leaf evergreen which we find to be a very hardy, free blooming shrub with small shiny leaves. It blooms in clusters of fragrant white flowers all summer. It is fine for borders or can be used in foundation plantings.

The Magnolia grandiflora is a broad-leaf evergreen tree. These grow to a height of fifteen to twenty feet and can be used as a specimen on the lawn, always very ornamental with shiny green leaves and bloom that is a wonder. Its an immense fragrant white flower and cannot be excelled by any flowering tree. The magnolia transplants best in the spring after freezing weather is past.

William P. Stark, of the Du Pont office, Wilmington, Del., has been in New Orleans and St. Louis and is now in Denver. He had an enjoyable time visiting relatives and old friends in Louisiana, Mo.

CHIEF POINT OF INTEREST FOR NURSERYMEN IN JUNE

The Great Lake County, Ohio, Nursery District-Largest of the Kind in America-One Hundred and Eighty Licensed Nurseries With Acreage of Nearly 5000

BIG EVENT IS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 21ST, DAY BEFORE CONVENTION

The Start Will Be Made From Headquarters, Hotel Statler, in Cleveland-Special Train Will Be Run to Western End of District Where Automobiles Will Convey Party Thro ghout Territory-Birdseye View of This Interesting Trip

ITH a total of 180 licensed Nurseries and an acreage of 4625 allotted to their use, Lake County, O., of which Painesville is the principal point, is regarded as the largest Nursery center in this country. The range of acreage, per Nursery, is from one-half to 1500.

Following is a list of the Nurseries of 10 acres or more in this county:

Baker, C. P. Nursery, Painesville, general, 20 acres.

Borling, H. A., Route 1, Madison, fruit and ornamental, 20 acres.

Brick. L. P., Route 1, Painesville, general, 10 acres.

Brown, Frank, Route 2, Perry general, 12

Call's Nurseries, Perry, general, 100 acres. Champion & Son, H. J., Perry, general, 80 acres.

Chriss & Dianni Nurseries, Route 1, Painesville, ornamental, 16 acres. Cole Nursery, The W. B., Painesville, fruit and ornamental, 300 acres.

Collister Nursery, Route 1, Painesville, ornamental, grape, trees, 5 acres.

Cook & Frankhauser, Route 2, Perry, gen-

Coppock Bros., Perry, general, 30 acres. Dugan, D. L., Route 2, Perry, general, 30 acres.

Eggleston, Prop., R. 4, Painesville, ornamental, 20 acres.

Endress & Sons, Fred, 220 Elm street, Painesville, general, 25 acres.

Etzenspeger, W., Willoughby, Jap. wal-nut and general, 25 acres.

Hacker & Son., C. F., Painesville, ornamentals, 40 acres.

Hacker. Rudolph A., R. 1, Painesville, shrubs, 15 acres.

Hallinan, C. D., 5-7 E. Erie street, Painesville, shrubs, pern., 12 acres. Hathaway, S. P., Madison, general, 40

Horton, Wayne, W., 3, painesville, general,

Horvath, Prop., R. 1, Mentor, ornamentals,

Joiner, Harry W., Perry, blackberry,

grape 50 acres. Kallay Bros. Co. Painesville, general, 45

Kallay & Son. Painesville, deciduous and

ornamental, 60 acres.

Klyn, G. K., R. 1, Mentor, perennials, rose, 20 acres

Kohankie & Son, Henry, R. 1, Paines-ville, general, 300 acres. Martin Nurseries, Geo., R. 2, Perry, or-

namental, shrubs and perennials, Martin Nurseries, Jos. F., Box 97, Paines-ville, perennials and shrubs, 50 acres. Norman & Son, T. R., Painesville, general,

Reynolds. Claude R., R. 1, Mentor, her-

haceous, 20 acres.
Rosemont Nurseries, A. F. Bernard,
Painesville, general, 10 acres.
Storrs & Harrison Co., The, Painesville,

general, 1200 acres.
Tyler, Fred J., R. 1, Perry, oranmentals,

Waldorf, Prop., R. 4, Painesville, general; Welch, Mark R., R. 5, Painesville, gen-

Welch, S. R., R. I, Painesville, perennials,

Werner's Nnurseries, Paul C. Werner, Prop., R. 2, Perry, ornamental, perennials, 15 acres.

[The Willoughby, Lake County, Ohio, Republican, with commendable enterprise on March 25th published a special edition devoted to the Nurseries of Lake County which constitutes the largest Nursery center in the country. This was in anticipation of the visit to this center in June of Nurserymen from many points of the Union upon the occasion of the annual convention of the American Association of Nurserymen. We are reproducing some of the illustrations and some of the matter through the courtesy of the Republican management.]

West, H. J., Perry, strawberry, raspberry, general, 10 acres. West & Sons, T. B., Perry, general, 100

Wetzel & Sons, 415 Oak, Painesville, or-namental, 20 acres. Wetzel, Edward, 208 Elm street, Paines-

ville, ornamental, shrubs, 10 acres. Willow Bend Nursery, Mrs. E. M., Brew-ster & Sons, Props., Perry, general, 60

Seventy-three years ago Storrs & Harrison Company started the first Nursery in Lake County. Development has been steady and in recent years rapid. It is said that every type of plant that can be grown in the temperate zone can be found in the Nurseries of this county. Says the Willoughby Republican:

"Products range from the most delicate flowers that grow in this region to the hardiest fruit and shade trees. All types of ornamental and useful shrubbery are offered in profusion.

"The soil of the county runs the entire gamut from the heaviest clay to the lightest sand, due to the glacial and lake gorges and ridges in the surface of the land hereabouts, permitting the widest possible variation in plant life. Indoors the rarest of tropical and subtropical plants are grown. All are sent to wholesale dealers throughout the country.

"So important has the industry become in this section that in June of this year over 600 members of the American Association of American Nurserymen will hold its national convention in Cleveland, chiefly for the purpose of making a tour of inspection through Lake County. The only reason the convention will not have its headquarters in the county is due to the absence of sufficient sleeping quarters and a large enough assembly hall for the sessions that will be held.

"Not only is Lake County the greatest Nursery center in the world, but it is becoming more noted yearly for the increasing number of beautiful estates and gardens that characterize this section of the state. A traveler from abroad making his first tour of the United States stopped in this region last year, and was amazed at the private estates located here, stating that he did not dream such estates existed anywhere in the world except in old England, and characterizing those hereabouts as equal to the famous manor lands of England.

"Lake County is rapidly becoming the chief playspot of Greater Cleveland. This is best evidenced in the growth in the number of private clubs and golf links in the county. Until a few years ago there was but one such club, the Willowick Country club, located in Lake County.

Among the leading social and golf clubs now in the county are the Willowick clubs, Kirtland Country club, Mentor Headlands Country club, Cedarhurst Country club, Madison Country club, Arrowhead club, Willobee club, Willowick Shore club, and a number of smaller clubs which are daily increasing in membership and importance."

Some of the Things To Be Seen on the Tour

From Willoughby, O., Republican

It is quite unlikely that a post office could be found in the country that has not handled at least one letter or parcel post package from the nationally known Storrs & Harrison Co., whose extensive holdings are situated on the North Ridge road a few miles east of Painesville.

Annually the local organization mails a total of 270,000 catalogues. In the spring an illustrated catalogue of 168 pages is mailed to 175,000 individuals and firms. In the fall another 96-page illustrated catalogue is mailed to 100,000 persons. At other times small pamphlets, and booklets are mailed to individuals interested in special kinds of seeds, shrubs, or flowers. It is said that the annual postage expense of the Storrs & Harrison Co. would pay the total salary expenses of the Painesville post office.

With over 1,500 acres of Lake County soil under cultivation, the Storrs & Harrison Co. is the largest departmental institution of its kind in the country. By this is meant the largest Nursery retailing and wholesaling Nursery stock, flowers and seeds. The institution has been in continuous operation for 73 years and was the first Nursery in Northern Ohio.

On its expansive acreage are more than three acres of storage cellars constructed to protect vegetable life from excessive heat and cold. From 250 to 400 persons are em-ployed. The weekly payroll often amounts to over \$4,000, one of the largest payrolls for any Nursery in the country doing similar work.

The fields present at different periods of the year a beautiful picture with their varied colors and gorgeous blooms. Over 10 acres of peonies attract the eye of the traveler in the early spring. There are more than 200 varieties of these large flowers. Later extensive fields of roses pre-sent a picture of spectacular grandeur.

In the fall vividly colored cannas appear on more than six acres of the Storrs & Harrison acreage. The beauty of this field is said to rival the beauty of the many fields of tulips in Holland. Somewhat later in the fall over 100 acres of dahlias bloom in almost equal splendor. Of these there are 150 varieties.

In recent years the Storrs & Harrison

W. B. COLE HEADS NEW LAKE COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Whose Entire Membership Will Greet Visitors In June



FEATURED HERE ARE WILLIAM ALFRED COLE, W. B. COLE, D. B. COLE AND G. S. COLE

W. B. Cole entered Lake County, O., April 3, 1881. Arriving at the forked road where the Storrs & Harrison Co.'s Nursery sign was located he determined directions.

Thus, says the Willoughby Republican, did his first entrance into Lake County have something to do with Nurseries. After noting the sign he drove on to Pamesville noting the sign he drove on to Pamesville and has resided there ever since. There were not so many Nurseries in Lake County then, as now. According to Mr. Cole recollections in an informal chat with the Republican reporter there were only Storrs-Harrison, B. F. Merriam, Hiram Bowhall, L. Green & Son and S. W. Call. Mr. Cole purchased the Brainard & Loomis Nursery located where the Murphy Nurseries known as the Buckeye are now located on Mentor as the Buckeye are now located on Mentor avenue. The Cole Nurseries were first

known as Jayne & Cole,, later the W. B. Cole, and in 1923 they were incorporated under the name of the Cole Nursery Co. They started with 15 acres, and now have 600 in use, located in Perry, Concord, Paines-ville and Kirtland.

One of the interesting trends of the times according to Mr. Cole is the transition from the intensive growing of fruit trees to that of ornamental trees, perennials, etc., many of the Nurseries of Lake County now

of the Nurseries of Lake County now specializing in that field, for which the demand is constantly growing.

The picture here shown features W. B. Cole, president; G. S. Cole, vice-president and W. A. Cole treasurer of the company.

Mr. Cole, senior, is active in most of the civic affairs of the city in which he resides. He is progressive and up-to-date and is of

the type who gets real pleasure from his work. He recently sponsored the four-day Nursery school in Painesville, at which there was an enrollment of 75. The school occasioned much enthusiasm and it was voted to continue it another year. The organization of the Nurserymen of the county is another activity that interests Mr. Cole. He is a director of the Painesville Chamber of Commerce and for 25 years has been trustee of the Baptist Church.

Twice each year the Cole Co. sends out 20,000 catalogues to the retail trade.

The wholesale catalogues go out four times a year, and number about 5,000 each time.

The office of the company bristles with activity and an air indicating constant growth and activity is apparent.

Co. has specialized in varieties of phlox.

Over 30 acres are planted.

Thirty teams of horses are kept continually at the Nursery in large, well built barns. Much of the food for these animals is raised on the Nursery acreage. Other storage buildings house over \$75,000 worth of machinery required for the operation of

Visitors at the plant are welcome daily and often guides are furnished for parties.

On the Park Road, three miles west of Palnesville Norman & Sons Nursery, man-aged by T. R. Norman and his sons, C. O. and R. T. Norman, produce annually 1,500,-000 shrubs and ornamental plants on 115 acres and in a greenhouse area of 2500 square feet. Landscape gardeners of Cleveland are using much of this material.

C. Merkel & Sons Co., organized 35 years ago, has developed from a single greenhouse to ranges of glass-covering four acres in which are under cultivation 25,000 roses in pots, 16,000 roses for cut flowers, 40,000 carnations, 15,000 hydrangeas and 200,000 plants. The business is managed by John Merkel and his brothers, Lewis and William.

Twenty-seven years ago the Willow Bend Nursery, near Perry, O., was established. Under the management of Mrs. E. M. Brewster and her sons, W. M., B. A. and T. D. Brewster 150 acres are cultivated for production of fruit and ornamental stock, 20 men being employed in busy seasons.

The Champion Nurseries started in 1891 with 24 acres; now they comprise 200 acres near Perry, with ample greenhouse space. N. Champion, son of the founder, is man-

Done Well Nurseries, of 46 acres, of Mentor Ave., Painesville, managed by J. W. Kallay and his sons, specialize in azaleas and evergreen trees. Mr. Kallay received his training abroad, having studied for 30 years while working in Vienna, Edmburgh, Budapest, and other cities.

This season, for the first time, Rudolph This season, for the first time, Rudolph A. Hacker, well-known hybridizer, offers his variegated form of Yucca filamentosa which has been under development for 15 years. From 1896 until 1911 Mr. Hacker was in charge of the propagating work at the Storrs & Harrison Nursery. During the last 16 years he has raised small plants for lining-out purposes which he has wholesaled to Nurserymen in many parts of the

To meet the demand for large trees and shrubs Norman & Sons, Painesville, have allotted a 13-acre tract to specimens. Landscape gardeners needing such material for large estates will be interested.

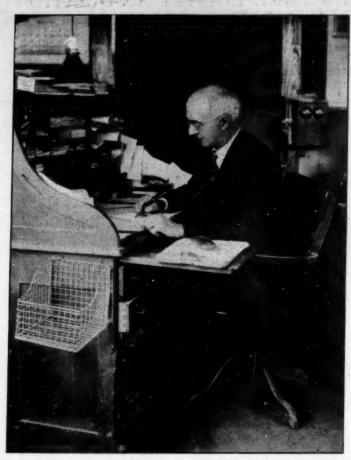
Almon E. Sawyer has 18 acres three miles west of Mentor for production of evergreens, shrubs and fruit trees.

The Willoughby Republican urges establishment of a public garden for Lake County, O., similar to the Shakespeare Garden of Cleveland. It says: "A tree in honor of former President Garfield might be the first one planted. It might be called the Garfield Garden."

Call's Nursery, Perry, organized in 1877 by W. S. Call, is now operated by his son-in-law, P. J. Schumaker, and A. C. Tuttle, under a joint partnership. Although the Nursery originally consisted of but one acre, the holdings now include 220 acres. Mr. Schumaker has been active in the management of the acresised for 12 years and ment of the organization for 12 years and has been instrumental in developing many large and profitable accounts. Four years ago Mr. Tuttle purchased a share in the Nursery. Recently James A. Vizzard was employed as salesman and office assistant.

One of the interesting highlights of Lake County is to be found at the Buckeye Nur-series, just west of Painesville on Mentor series, just west of Painesville on Mentor avenue, where an original Buckeye tree still stands. Once the native buckeye trees were so numerous in Ohio that the state was called "The Buckeye State" a—name which it still proudly bears. Today the wild buckeye tree is nearly extinct. Few can be found. In their place, and commonly mistaken for the native buckeye tree, is the Old World horse chestnut tree, which (Continued on Page 146)

A PERSISTENT BOOSTER FOR LAKE COUNTY DISTRICT



WHERE "TOM" WEST, PERRY, O., WRITES TO HIS MANY FRIENDS

One of the best known and probably one of the best loved men in Lake County, says the Willoughby Republican, is T. B. West, known to hundreds of friends and west, known to hundreds of friends and associates as "Tom." Lake County has several men who stand out as "choice samples," and Mr. West is one of them. He is of the encouraging and optimistic type. Many an organization and movement and many an individual has profited by his warm and outspoken encouragment. He is not the kind that pours "cold water" on an idea unless it is one that he feels would not be of benefit to anyone. of benefit to anyone.

Mr. West has for many years been a mem-

ber of the American Association of Nursery-men, having served for some years on the executive committee. He is a member of the Ohio State Nurserymen's Association, of which he was formerly president and now on the executive committee. He served for some years on the Ohio State Board of Agriculture.

Agriculture.

Mr. West was born in England, coming to this country when but 3 years old. A Nurseryman since 1893, he has resided in Perry since 1874. For three terms he was president of the Fair Board and served for eight years as a director. He is a division chairman of the Lake County "Y," indicating the varied range of his activities.

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is wrongfully called the "buckeye tree."— Willoughby Republican.

Among the pioneer Nurserymen of Lake County was W. S. Call, now deceased, who founded the "Call Nursery at Perry in 1877 when he began the cultivation of peach trees on a one-acre plot. Residents in Perry, says the Willoughby Republican, recall that the pioneer Nurseryman was the owner of one of the first automobiles in the township. The machine was a Recommend. township. The machine was a Reo manufactured by Mr. Call's brother-in-law, R. E. Olds, who opened his first factory at Geneva, Ohio.

E. D. Barber is president of the Octagon Nurseries named after the novel house on Mentor Ave., of J. T. Frary of the Cleveland Museum of Art. A. L. Eggleston is the Nursery manager, specializing in shrubs, trees, evergreens and perennials.

Mathias Terlap has started the Terwood Nurseries in the Painesville, O., district.

Riverdale Nurseries and Gardens. Inc. Miverdale Nurseries and Gardens, Inc., West Springfield, Mass.; Nursery, market and Florist business; capital, \$50,000 and 2000 no par value shares; incorporators, Harold B. Adams, Longmeadow; Helen B. Davis, Holyoke; and William H. Wolff, West Springfield.

Announces New Shrub

W. C. Salome, Sr., Mt. Hope, Kan., Nur-series, says in the Wichita, Kan., Beacon: "We have a new shrub that stays green all winter, no matter how cold it gets. We have been experimenting with this shrub the have been experimenting with this shrub the last three years and are now ready to place it on sale. It is a species of evergreen, carries a small red berry during the winter and its leaf slightly resembles the holly. It grows from 4½ to 6 feet high and makes a wonderful landscaping plant."

Myrtle Beach, N. C., Nursery

A Nursery has been started on the farms of the Myrtle Beach Estates, Myrtle Beach, N. C., by outside interests for the purpose of experimenting with native shrubbery and of experimenting with native shrubbery and ascertaining the possibilities of shipping to different sections of the country. A prominent Nurseryman from the Pee Dee section will handle regular ornamental shrubbery for shipping to nearby points and beautifying local grounds, while a Nurseryman from the North will feature native shrubbery for shipping to Northern points where he has an established business.

Board of directors of the United States Chamber of Commerce formally by resolu-tion indersed the movement for a National Arboretum.

Important Date! June 21

Plans for June Convention at Cleveland include a trip through the Lake County Nursery section, as guests for the day of the new Lake County Nurserymen's Association.

This trip must be made on Tuesday, June 21st, the day preceding the opening of the convention. Start will be made from Hotel Statler, headquarters hotel. Special train will be run to the western end of the Nursery district, where automobiles will meet you for the ride across the district, taking up the train for the trip back from the eastern end of the county.

Try and write as early as you can as to how many you will have in your party for this trip, June 21st. Address any of the following:

W. B. Cole, J. J. Grulleman, E. B. George, Painesville, O.

T. B. West, H. H. Joiner, Paul Schumaker, Perry, O.

Outdoor Nature Education

Henry Fairfield Osborn, president of the American Museum of Natural History, has accepted the invitation of the Commissioners of the Palisades Interstate Park, to co-operate in the plans for outdoor nature edu-cation which they are developing in the Harriman State Park in the Highlands of the Hudson and particularly is the direction of a museum at Bear Mountain, headquarters of the Park, in which this instruction will be centered. Similar museums are in Yosemite National Park and Grand Canyon National Park.

To Make 1000 Inspections—Approximately 1000 Pennsylvania Nurseries and greenhouses will be subject to inspection this year under the Japanese beetle quarantine. This is an increase of approximately 400 over last year, due to the increase in quarantined territory, which is now placed at about 5000 square miles.

Nurserymen Co-operate With Realtors

A sales lot at which San Antonians may purchase citrus fruit trees for planting in connection with the campaign of the San Antonio, Tex., Real Estate Board to bring about the planting of 25,000 trees in the city in the next five years, has been established at Navarro and Romana Streets, opposite the auditorium, by the San Antonio Nursery, which has contracted with the realty organiwhich has contracted with the realty organization to supply trees at stated figures.

AMERICAN ROSE SOCIETY

Robert Pyle, West Grove, Pa., Secy.

The rose as described below has been approved by the Registration Committee and is proposed for registration as follows:

is proposed for registration as follows:

ROSA RUBROSA—A shrub rose—R. rubrifolia x R. rugosa single pink.

The shrub-like plant has a red general appearance; leaflet size of rugosa, red overlaid with green; is vigorous and extremely hardy. The pale pink flower is single and of medium size with slight fragrance; is a free bloomer during three weeks. This rose is similar to R. rubrifolia, but is a stronger grower, green on leaves; flowers are larger grower, green on leaves; flowers are larger and paler pink. Originated by the Division of Horticulture, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Canada.

If no objections are raised to the undersigned within six weeks after publication of this notice, the registration of the above rose will become permanent.

ne permanent.
ROBERT PYLE, Secretary.

April 1, 1927.

KELSEY--HIGHLANDS NURSERIES Trade Surplus No. 2, March 1927

Fine Lining-out Stock and Heavy Transplanted Material for Immediate Use "HARDY NEW ENGLAND GROWN-BEST BY TEST"

S-Se	edlings. T-Transplanted. All stock is t	ranspla 100	nted one	to many	times unless otherwise noted.	100	1000
3,000	Ables veitchi, 1 year S		\$ 35.00	3,000	Picea canadensis albertiana, 3-6 in. 2 yr. S		30.00
	Norway Maple, 6-12 in, T		80.00		Picea engelmanni, 1 year S	2.00	18.00
	Norway Maple, 4-5 ft. T		400.00		Picea excelsa, Norway Spruce. 8-6 in. 2		- +
	Amorpha fruticosa, 3-6 in. S	8.00	10.00	1	year B	3.00	20.00
	Ampelopsis quinquefolia, extra 3 year T	20.00	160.00	1,000	Picea excelsa, Norway Spruce, 9-12 in. T	9.00	75.00
	Ampelopsis engelmanni, 2 year T	10.00	90.00		Picea excelsa, Norway Spruce, 12-18 in. TT		200.00
	Aronia melanocarpa, 12-18 in	12.00	****	400	Picea excelsa, Norway Spruce, 18-24 in. TT		540.00
	Aronia melanocarpa, 18-24 in	18.00	*****		Picea koyamai, 6-9 in. T	50.00	
	Aronia melanocarpa, 2-3 ft	30.00		2,000	Pieris floribunda, 3-6 in. T	30.00	260.00
	Azalea arb'scens, 18-24 in. clumps, B. & B.				Pinus banksiana, 3-6 in. 2 year S	3.00	25.00
	Azalea arb'scens, 2-3 ft. clumps, B. & B			20,000	Pinus densiflora, 1-3 in. 1 year S		10,00
	Azalea arb'scens, 3-4 ft. clumps, B. & B				Pinus densifiora, 6-9 in., 2 years	4.00	20.00
	Azalea viscosa, 18-24 in. clumps	85.00	720.00	2,000	Pinus densifiora, 9-12 in. 2 year 8	6,00	35.00
10,000	Berberis thunbergi, 6-12 in. T	5,00.	30.00	1,000	Pinua densifiora, 12-18 in., 2 year S	7.00 .	45.00
2,000	Berberis thunbergi, 12-18 in. T	12.00	108.00	200	Pinus jeffreyi, 12-18 in. TT	60.00	
	Celastrus orb'tus pun'tus, 6-12 in. 2 yr. S	6.00	40.00		Mugho Pine, 1-3 in. 2 year 8	4.00	30.00
5,000	Chamaecyparis pisifera, 2-4 in. 2 year S	4.00	25.00	5,000	Mugho Pine, 1-3 in, T	9.00	70.00
400	Clematis paniculata, strong 3 year	25.00	*****	25,000	Mugho Pine, 2-4 in. T	12.00	90.00
	Cotoneaster bullata, 18-24 in. (pots)	90.00		15,000	Mugho Pine, 3-6 in. T	16.00	120.00
300		72.00			Mugho Pine, 6-8 in, TT	45.00	350.00
200		90.00			Mugho Pine, 8-10 in. TT B. & B	70.00	600.00
200		90,00			Austrian Pine, 1-2 in. 1 year S		10.00
-	Cotoneaster horizontalis, 9-12 in. (pots)	72.00			Austrian Pine, 3-5 in. 2 year S	4.00	20.00
	Cotoneaster horizontalis, 12-18 in. (pots)				0 Austrian Pine, 6-10 in, 2 year S	-5.00	30.00
	Cotoneaster nitens, 12-18 in. (pots)	72.00			Austrian Pine, 3-6 in. T	8:00	60.00
	Cotoneaster zabeli, 12-18 in. (pots)	90.00	*****		Austrian Pine, 6-12 in. T	11.00	90.00
	Crataegus exyacantha, 8-6 in. 2 year S	3.00	20.00		Austrian Pine, 18-24 in. TT B. & B	100.00	*****
	Crataegus oxyacantha, 6-12 in. 2 year S	4.00	30.00		Pinus ponderosa, 2-4 in, 8	2.50	15,00
	Crataegus tomentosa, 9-12 in. 2 year S	5.00	40.00		Pinus ponderosa, 8-4 ft	150.00	
	Cupressus arizonica, 2-4 in. 1 year S	4.00	20.00	1,000	Pinus resinosa, 12-18 in, TT	35.00	
	Cydonia japonica, 4-8 in. 1 year S	8.00	60.00		Scotch Pine, 3-6 in. 2 year S	2.00	12.00
	Dicentra eximia, strong	15.00			Scotch Pine, 9-12 in. 2 year S	3.00	18.00
	Enkianthus campanulatus, 3-6 in, T	20,00	180.00		Scotch Pine, 6-9 in. T	15,00	120.00
	Enkianthus campanulatus, 6-12 in, T	40.00	360.00	5,000	Scotch Pine, 1-2 ft. T B. & B.	30.00	250.00
	Euonymus rad. col., 3-5 in, rooted cuttings		140.00		Prunus americana, 1-2 ft. T	10.00	
1,000	New variety from the Arnold Arboretum.	20.00	240.00		Prunus americana, 3-4 ft. T	20.00	*****
	Brilliant foliage through the winter.				Prunus americana, 4-5 ft. T	30.00	****
2 000	Humulus jap., Jap. Hop, strong 1 year S	3.00	20.00		Prunus serrulata sachalinensis, Yama	00.00	*****
	Iris kaempferi, strong, very fine strain	10.00			Cherry, 1-2 ft. T	20.00	
	Iris kaempferi, strong, 1 year S	4.00	30.00	**	Yama Cherry is perhaps the best under-	30.00	*****
	Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana, 2-21 ft.	4.00	30.00		stock for budding Flowering Cherries.		
100	TTT. Very Heavy B. & B.	270.00		2.000	Prunus tomentosa, 6-12 in. 1 year S	20.00	100.00
400	Juniperus communis depressa, 18-24 in.	210.00	*****		Prunus tomentosa, 1-2 ft. 1 year S	20.00	160.00
400		150.00			Pseudotsuga douglasi, 3-6 in. 2 year B	30.00	240.00
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ARGUMENTS TO BE SHUNNED

In his advice to salesmen Charles Henry Mackintosh, of Chicago, said at the Illinois Nurserymen's convention:

Nurserymen's convention:

Arguments practically never get anybody anywhere. You may talk the other fellow into silence, but nine times out of ten he is sore. Let us stay away from arguments and substitute for argument live suggestions that the other fellow will take into his mind, say, "That is true. That would be a wonderful thing for the children if we had that in the back yard," whatever the thing may be. That prospect is taking it into his mind, he isn't thinking of objections, he is thinking of the use to which he can put the thing the salesman wants to sell him. Therefore, I say the only proper time to answer objections is before they ever come up. If after making the sales demonstration certain objections continually come up from the prospects, that is a definite statement to him that his sales demonstration is incomplete.

This is one of the pointers for salesmen which Mr. Mackintosh's address bristles. It is good matter for every Nursery salesman to read—to re-read and study. Mr. Mackintosh teaches salesmanshipthat's his business. In the last two issues of this journal are lessons free to all readers. Something to learn lurks in practically every paragraph, something of practical ap-

That is the kind of material the Illinois association has been giving its members at every convention for years—the experience of experts applied to the Nursery trade. Once a year Nurserymen may profitably go outside of their trade to get pointers from business experts. Is full advantage being taken thereof?

NATIONAL ARBORETUM

The many prominent persons interested in the project for a National Arboretum are giving the matter much thought. Through their persistent effort the congressional bill for establishing the arboretum was passed and was promptly signed by President Coolidge, as announced in this journal. The work of Chairman Robert Pyle of the A. A. N. committee was of the highest class. He was ably assisted by M. Q. MacDonald, attorney for the A. A. N.

Among those prominently active in the movement is Dr. Frederick V. Coville, botanist, of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, who has been in conference since Congress adjourned, with other leaders in the movement and has made valuable suggestions for advancing it. Some provision may have to be made for funds for securing the desired property—the Mt. Hamilton site near Washington. Actual appropriation of money therefore by the government is yet to be made. The limitation set by the law may make necessary the raising of a portion of the purchase price by private subscription.

This subject and the matter of trustees of the institution are being considered. A suggestion has been made that Peter Bisset of the U.S. Department of Agriculture be made the head of the arboretum, by reason of his special qualifications. The arboretum is to be administered under the direction of the Secretary of Agriculture.

H. Lloyd Haupt, formerly of the Princeton, N. J., Nurseries and for a short time editor of the National Nurseryman, is now with the Du Bois Press, horticultural catalogue printers, Rochester, N. Y.

To Cleveland in June

During the week of June 19-25 the American Association of Nurserymen will hold its 52nd annual convention at the Hotel Statler, and at that time Lake County, the largest Nursery section of the United States will be host to the gathering for one day. The day in Lake County will be one of the chief features of the convention.

The committee in charge of preparations includes E. B. George, Harry W. Joiner, Paul J. Schumacher, Horton Bowden, James West, Howard Chard and Paul Fortmiller.

Tentative plans include the meeting of the special train at Mentor by automobiles to be furnished by Rotary, C. of C., Kiwanis and other civic organizations. The guests will be taken through the Nurseries, lunching at Painesville-on-the-Lake, and proceeding on to Perry where the train will be in waiting. The honor of entertaining the Nurserymen of the United States is anticipated with considerable pleasure by the local Nurserymen.

A correspondent of the Horticultural Advertiser, England, says: "I am sure a large proportion of readers will heartily endorse C. Sparrow's remarks in the H. A. of 2nd inst. I also know a Nurseryman who does not subscribe to the H. A., and was amazed when I discovered the fact. This individual has for years complained of bad trade, and now proposes closing down. I do not, of course, attribute this entirely to lack of the H. A., but it is indicative of his business methods."

A Sargent Appreciation

The New York Times said of Dr. Charles Sargent, director of Arnold Arboretum,

whose death was announced in our last issue; "Had the trees met after the manner of those that assembled in Jotham's fable to choose a king, they would have made him, no doubt, their first choice. Certainly no one was more conversant with all the trees in the whole garden of the earth, and no one did more to give the sylvan aliens a welcome in America than this descendant of the industrious and successful merchant and shipowner of Gloucester, Epes Sargent, who lived in "a house with a large garden." "Sargent's catalogues of the forest trees of America are Adamic, for he named them

all and performed a like neighborly office for Japan. The titles of his books and pamphlets and articles fill many pages in the history of the family and the library which he assembled has nearly 50,000 books and pamphlets."

Charles S. Sargent, director of Arnold Arboretum, who died last month was born in Brookline, Mass., and was a member of the same family as John Singer Sargent, the noted painter. Prof. Sargent was graduated from Harvard University and not long afterward fought in the Civil War attaining the rank of captain. In 1872 he was made professor of horticulture and director of the botanical gardens at his Alms Mater; when the Arboretum was founded with the \$100,000 bequest of James Arnold of New Bedford, Mass., he was made its director and professor of arboriculture in the University. Though severely handicapped by lack of funds he brought the 122 acres to their present perfection and usefulness, conceiving and carrying out the idea of Charles S. Sargent, director of Arnold Arconceiving and carrying out the idea of making the Arboretum a part of the Boston park system. Besides writing various books, he was from 1887 to 1897 editor of Control of the control of was from 1887 to 1897 editor of Garden and Forest.



The Iris: By John C. Wister, president of the American Iris Society. An Orange Judd Pubg. Co. production. Cloth; pp. 122; illustrated. Price, postpaid \$1.40. Rochester, N. Y.; American Fruits Pub'g. Co.

This is one of the Flowers and Fruits Series of the Farm and Garden Library edited by Frank A. Waugh, who says: "Here we participate in the widespread movement to translate the iris from an esoteric cult into a general joy. The iris has long been the pet of the botanists; lately it has become the fad of the fanciers; next it is becoming the common property and infinite delight of all garden makers."

Says the author: "For the broad expanses and widely different climates and soils of the American continent there is no flower so universally adapted as the iris. From New Brunswick to Florida, from San Diego to Saskatchewan we find it the mainstay of the hardy garden. Portland, Ore., may be famous for its roses; Rochester, N. Y., for its lilacs and Charleston, S. C., for its magnolia gardens; but any gardener in any part of America, regardless of his climate, can have an iris garden that will rival the beauty of these world-famous places.

"Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow? To most of us when we have heard this familiar text, has come the vision of the white Easter lily. Modern botanists have told us that no lilies are to be found in the Biblical lands and that the flower so referred to is the white form of the stately iris of various parts of Asia Minor."

Much interesting historical matter precedes the author's description of European distribution of the iris and his full credit to French breeders for some of the finest varieties we have. The real pioneer in America, he says, was the late Bertrand H. Farr, Wyomissing, Pa. For a quarter of a century he specialized in the iris and popularized the flower. Following the chapters on this subject the author of this book, in appendix, gives a list of recommended varieties, a color classification chart, a black list of undesirable varieties, a calendar of bloom and a bibliography. The book is indexed.

The Gladiolus: By Alvin C. Beal, professor of floriculture in Cornell University; an Orange Judd Pub'g. Co. production. Cloth; pp. 124; illustrated. Price, postpaid, \$1.40. Rochester, N. Y.; American Fruits Pub'g. Co.

Their long period of bloom and especially their unexcelled lasting qualities when used as cut flowers, together with their comparative ease of culture have combined to make the gladioli exceedingly popular. In his introduction the author discusses the pronunciation of the name of this flower. The proper pronunciation is with the accent on Gladius is Latin for sword; gladiolus, a little sword-referring to the shape of the leaves of the plant. But the American Gladiolus Society, believing that common usage, at least, among the growers, sustained the pronunciation with the accent on the "o," officially; it went even further and decided that the singular form be used for plural also, Yet gladioli has all the recognised or standard authorities on language behind it, as Prof. Beal points

Information on detail on gladiolus culture

follows a discussion of the genus, types and species. There are chapters on insects and diseases hybridizing and crossing, suggested lines of improvement, the forcing of gladioli, gladiolus exhibitions and varieties. The whole is indexed.

Manual of Cultivated Trees and Shrubs: By Alfred Rehder. Cloth; large 8vo.; pp. 950. A Macmillan production. Price \$10.65 postpaid: Rochester, N. Y.: American Fruits Pub'g. Co.

A subject so extensive in scope and so technical in character needs the knowledge and experience of an expert. Our readers will recognize in the author a name that is appended to many of the most important articles in Dr. Bailey's Standard Cyclopedia of Horticulture.

Trees and shrubs have been the subject of many books, specific or cyclopedic in character. This one is intended to serve the same purpose in regard to the cultivated woody plants as do works like Gray's Manual and Britton's Manual for the student of the indigenous flora. Its plan and arrangement is similar to these works. The aim is to acquaint the botanist, horticulturist, plant lover, gardener and Nurseryman with the wealth of trees and shrubs hardy in North America; and to enable him to identify by means of keys the woody plants he may encounter in the gardens and parks of this country. The book contains full descriptions of more than twenty-five hundred species, with their varieties, and briefer notes on numerous less important species and various hybrids. Descriptions are followed by short remarks on the ornamental and economic properties of the plants and by the indication of their approximate hardiness, with occasional cultural hints. The title is taken in a wide sense including woody vines, bamboos, cacti and subfruticose plants.

The contents of this work are: Introduction; abbreviations of authors' names; abbreviations of references to illustrations; further abbreviations and explanation of signs; synopsis of the orders and families contained in the manual; analytical key to the families and aberrant genera; description of trees and shrubs; glossary of botanical terms; additions and emendatione; index.

This is an authoritative manual, invaluable for reference by all who have to do with trees and shrubs, commercially or academically. It is apportionately dedicated to the late Dr. Charles Sprague Sargent, director, for more than half a century of Arnold Arboretum with which Mr. Rehder is connected.

"The sequence of the families," says the author, "is according to the system used by Engler and Prantl which is followed with slight modifications by all American manuals. The International Rules of botanical nomenclature have been followed and therefore the names agree, with few exceptions, with those used in Bailey's Standard Cyclopedia of Horticulture and in his Manual of Cultivated Plants, in Gray's Manual, seventh edition, and in the second edition of Sargent's Manual."

Mr. Rehder was educated at gymnasium and in the universities of Berlin and Gottingen, Germany, where he was born. He came to America in 1898 and for ten years was curator of the Herbarium of Arnold Arboretum. He is a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and a member of horticultural and botanical societies. He compiled the Bradley Bibliography, 5 vols., 1911-18. He has written numerous papers an botany of woody plants and described hundreds of species new to actence, largely as the result of Arnold Arboretum expeditions to Central and Western

The Stroudsburg, Pa., Record says of the catalogue recently issued by the LaBar Rhododendron Nursery, of that city:

That the catalogue has made a fine impression on those with whom the Stroudsburg Nurserymen have business relations, is shown by the following taken from a letter from R. P. Sullivan, of the firm of Sullivan & Gross, Pittsburgh, Pa.:

"I have just received your catalogue. Without a doubt, it is in my judgment the best I have ever received from anyone. Its subject matter is well arranged, the descriptions are elegant, the photography is beautiful.

"You have certainly given information to rhododendron lovers that will make them file this catalogue away as their most valuable book collection in their libraries. Accept my congratulations for this master work."

The writer suggested that cuts of stock growing in prominent Pittsburgh estates would have been of value. Mr. LaBar replied to this that so many fine photographs had been received that in justice to all, none was used in the publication.

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Alvin C. Spindler, of the law firm of Spindler & Mitchell, Pittsburgh, referring to the new catalogue, said: "Let me say everything in praise of it. It is certainly a verybeautiful catalogue. If you had, however, placed a few photographs in it of the most beautifully planted rhododendrons in place, it would have been very appropriate, but it is so good, both as to press work and general get-up, that I want to express my praise for it."

Samuel Newman Baxter, a critic of Nursery publications, in an article commends that of the LaBar Rhododendron Nursery for the manner in which the cultural requirements of the plants are given. He states that the Stroudsburg specialist covers this ground as well as giving the price list. "Any recipient interested in rhododen-

"Any recipient interested in rhododendrons should welcome it as helpful beyond its primary purpose of conveying quotations on and selling plants," wrote Mr. Baxter. The LaBars have received other favorable

The LaBars have received other favorable comments, among the more notable being Alan Reed, assistant general business manager of the Curtis Publications, and locally, Charles R. Turn.

A scale model of an actual suburban home and grounds, completely landscaped and planted in miniature, attracted considerable attention in the Madison Avenue store window of Max Schling, Seedsmen, Inc., the week following the New York Flower Show. The model was loaned by The Macmillan Company, publishers of garden books. It was surrounded in the window by Schling's seeds, bulbs, shrubs, garden tools, and books. Trees, foundation plantings, shrubs, perennial and annual borders, lawis, vegetable garden, rock garden, and fruit were shown in exact size and scale. A placard placed near the model read: "Reliable Books on Gardening are Essential with Shrubs and Flowers for Pleasant Home Grounds."

Macmillan Company announce a new series, Home Garden Handbook, to sell at \$1, "designed to be used with seed, bulb, and Nursery catalogs" by amateur gardeners. The first two of the series, "Shrubs" and "Gladiolus" are to be ready early in May, and others later. F. F. Rockwell is the author.

Says the Horticultural Advertiser, England: "We have had a good many discussions on trade discount, but no speaker or writer on this subject among us goes quite as far as a writer in the Florists' Exchange, who claims that if a tree costs a dollar wholesale, the retailer ought to charge two-and-a-half dollars to his customer. Query—would the customer stand it?"

Faribault, Minn., News announces, in connection with an article on planting trees which occupies space in four columns of that newspaper, that the information is presented through the courtesy of the Andrews Nursery Co., of Faribault.

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The address by Mr. Hacker on "Practical Propagating" is of much direct value, based as it is on thirty years' experience during which he has noted the many things necessary to be taken into consideration in applying principles and practices.

Herewith is a classification of topics treated by him in his address:

Green-wood Shrub Cuttings BUILDING OF FRAME AND QUALITY OF

SAND TO BE USED: Location.

b—Type of frame—single or double. c—Material used in building.

-Grade of sand.

Hot or cold frame.

f-Length of time or seasons the sand

PROPER TIME FOR SELECTING THE WOOD:

a—Care of the wood.
b—Making and sticking of the cuttings. CARE OF CUTTINGS WHILE ROOTING:

-Shading-watering-airing.

b-Winter protection.

GETTING READY FOR THE SPRING PLANTING:

Preparation of soil in the open field.

Planting.
Cultivation.

al-Diggng. Hard-wood Shrub Cuttings

PROPER TIME FOR SELECTING THE WOOD:

a—Making the cuttings.
b—Winter care.
c—What advantage, if any, to a calloused

cutting.
d—Planting.
e—Cultivation. (Same as green-wood cuttings).
f—Digging. (Same as green-wood cut-

tings).

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Chas. Sizemore, Louislana, Mo., Secy.

Chairman Robert Pyle of the A. A. N. committee on Arboretums has written to Secretary Sizemore, A. A. N., as follows:

Secretary Sizemore, A. A. N., as follows:

"With this letter is enclosed check for \$110.50 made payable to me by Roy D. Pierce, Treasurer, Joint Committee for Establishment of National Arboretum and Botanic Garden, and by me endorsed to the American Association of Nurserymen as a further contribution to offset the expenses of our Committee on Arboretums. With \$100.00 received from the S. A. F. & O. H. this is a total of \$210.50 that will now have been paid into the Treasury of the American Association of Nurserymen and by so much will have reduced our own expenses

in the campaign for the National Arboretum."

Secretary Sizemore reports that February collections of bad accounts and claims for the membership amounted to \$3,938.21; this added to the \$32,406.93, amount previously reported, makes a total of \$36,345.14. New accounts and claims received for collectiduring February amounted to \$5,285.98.

To Serve One Year for Forgery

Secretary Sizemore, of the A. A. N., reports that B. M. Hyatt who was said to have taken advance payments without authority on orders for delivery of Nursery stock unlawfully representing that he was employed by Nurserymen in Nebraska and Iowa, has been convicted of forgery and has been sentenced to serve a year in Nebraska State Penitentiary.

At Chico Government Nursery

Thirteen men under the direction of J. E. Thirteen men under the direction of J. E. Morrow, superintendent of the United States Plant Garden, Chico, Cal., are busy on the grounds distributing plants to Nurseries and lining out growths that are to be used in budding and grafting.

Some of the plants, those which have been cared for under glass during the winter, will be put in cold storage where they will lie dormant until warm weather in the north

dormant until warm weather in the north permits their consignment to colder climates.

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Trade Bulletins

Annual meeting of American Iris Society will be held at the Brooklyn Botanic Garden, June 3rd.

Shady Lane Nursery Co., Columbus, O., co-operated in the arrangement of a model home exhibit at last month's Building Show.

T. W. Rice, Geneva, N. Y., reports prospect a good spring delivery clean-up.

Jim Parker, Tecumseh, Okla., says trade has been increasing on all items and that sales of evergreens and roses are double those of last year.

D. W. Babcock, Atlantic Nursery Co., Berlin, Md., grows European plane trees extensively, planting 100,000 cuttings annually.

Paul Stark, of Stark Bros. Nurseries, addressed the Business Men's Club in St. Louis, Mo., last month.

Valdesian Nurseries, George W. Jones proprietor, Bostic, N. C., purchased 206 acres recently as addition to the Nursery property.

Fred Herbst, of Herbst Bros., New York, is on a trip to the Orient. During his so-journ in Japan, he will inspect the crops of T. Sakata & Co., Yokohoma, which his firm represents in this country.

The code of ethics of the Minnesota Nurarmen's Association is practically the same as the well-known Illinois Association's code which was the first to be announced among Nursery trade organizations.

Berkeley, Cal., has purchased land for a municipal Nursery. It has been renting land for this purpose.

In order to protect and foster the apple industry of New York State, it is proposed to blacklist publicly those who persistently

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New Jersey Landscaping Co., 643, South Belmont Ave., Newark, N. J., has been in-corporated to do a Nursery business; capital \$100,000:

A. R. Pickett and wife, Clyde, O., Nursery Co., returned last month from a winter sojourn with their son, Robert Pickett, in

Alexandria, Minn., Nursery has added a greenhouse, 22x102.

Nurseries of the All Evergreen Nursery Co., at Clayton, Mo., are represented in a St. Louis, Mo., office.

A Smithtown Branch, Suffolk County, N. Y., Nurseryman advertises locally as follows: "Plan to Plant Another Tree:" Smithtown Nurseries, Smithtown Br. Hauppauge Road.

Several New England Nurserymen were represented in advertisements in an 8-page rotagravure section of the March 20th issue of the Boston Herald.

Allendale Nurseries, Delaware, O., plan to dispose of entire production of Nursery stock regularly through their roadside market stand.

T. A. Butterworth, who has conducted Nurseries in Santa Cruz and Watsonville, Cal., has bought the Elliot Nursery in Los . Cal., and will specialize in ornamentals.

A determined effort to bring about the heavier loading of freight cars by the shippers, receivers and railroads in the ter-ritory covered by the Atlantic States Shippers Advisory Board is to be made dur-ing 1927.

Faribault has always been known in Southern Minnesota as a beautiful city, both for its fine homes and for its trees, and there is no reason why it cannot be made more beautiful with well kept lawns and flower gardens, said E. J. Kiekenapp, sec-retary and treasurer of the Farmers' Seed and Nursery Co., in an article in Faribault

Among those at the Detroit convention of the Society of American Florists last month were F. L. Atkins, Rutherford, N. J.; month were F. L. AKINS, Rutherford, N. J., M. D. Griffing, Glen Saint Mary, Fla.; Al-bert M. Kerr, Lancaster, Pa.; Joseph Hill, Richmond, Ind.; F. L. Mulford, Washing-ton, D. C., and Robert Pyle, West Grove, Pa.

The 55 county farm bureau ass of New York State each contributed in 1926, out of their own private funds, an average of nearly one thousand dollars toward a program for public education, according to Charles A. Taylor, connected with the state farm bureau office.

For the third year Jackson & Perkins Co. Newark, N. Y., this spring operated its "Chicago Storage Plan," Ralph Perkins with headquarters at the Fullerton Plaza Hotel in that city caring for orders for stock held

E. S. Welch, head of Mt. Arbor Nurseries, Shenandoah, Ia., in cap and gown was honored by Iowa State College in the presence of 4,000 persons and was the recipient of a certificate of eminent service to Iowa

American bulb growers have made remarkable progress in the industry considering the short time that has been devoted to it and present outlook for production of bulbs in this country is decidedly bright. That is the conclusion of Dr. David Griffiths, horticulturist of the United States Department of Agriculture, whose investigations with American bulbs under glass have been summed up in Department Builetin 1462-D, just Issued.

"Preserve the trees that are and provide for others" is a good motto for cities. De-troit and Sacramento are considering it. Will the Nurserymen push it along?

Kirkman Nurseries Expand

The Kirkman Nurseries, Fresno, Cal., one of the largest in the state, has been attracted to Tracy, Cal. The first local venture was the planting of 50 acres of the fine soil in the Banta-Carbona irrigation District to apricot and peach trees, other Nursery state to be produced between the sery stock to be produced between the rows until such time as the trees are too large to

In speaking of the venture to the Tracy press, W. T. Kirkman, Jr., said: "We have bought 50 acres of land from John A. Keating in the Carbona district. John A. Reating in the Carbona district. This purchase is for the propagation of Nursery stock for delivery to customers of the community and the west side territory in general. The property has already been planted, first to orchard, (Tilton and Blender)

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work of leveling, checking and planting of the acreage by the Kirkman interests
was done by C. E. Reed and father.
Mr. Penebaker of the Tracy Nursery and

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Seed Company has been engaged in land-scaping the tract.

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lines that are really reasons why some manufacturer would like to sell his goods. There is little desire on anyone's part to become a

prospect for some article.
But men will listen if addressed as wageearners with families to provide for, fathers
with children to rear, husbands with wives
to support, boys with life before them.

"California" grapes, or European grapes as they are known to horticulturists, have been growing in the vineyards of the New York State Experiment Station at Geneva since 1911, says the Station horticulturist. Certain modifications of the usual vineyard operations have made possible the successful production of Malagas, Tokays, and Hamburgs, so highly prized on the fruit stands of eastern cities, in spite of the rigors of Western New York winters, says this authority, and it is believed that with similar care they will succeed in other eastern grape districts as well.

"The successful production of European

ern grape districts as well.

"The successful production of European grapes in the east appears to depend chiefly on three things. First, protection of the vines against cold. Second, the use of root stocks that will insure freedom from the grape phylloxera. Third, proper spraying to control diseases and insect pests. The last two requirements are easily met, and vineyard operations may be modified in such a way as to give winter protection to the vines with little added cost. This is estimated to amount to two to three cents per vine in the Station vineyard.

vine in the Station vineyard.
"Whether or not European grapes will ever be grown commercially in the east re-

mains to be seen. It is entirely practical, however, to grow these excellent grapes in a small way for home use or even for local markets or the roadside stand. Information on cultural methods and on varieties will be supplied upon request."

Rural New Yorker says: "Shall we plant the Cortland apple? This is a larger ques-tion than many of us think. Everyone agrees that we have too many market va-rieties in cultivation. For future profit many of these varieties must be given up. it seems as if each section many concentrate upon the particular varieties which are seems as if each section must concentrate upon the particular varieties which are best suited to soil and condition. As we know, New England did this with Baldwin, the West with Ben Davis and parts of New York with Spy. New adjustments must now be made. Many of us regard Cortland as the most promising new candidate. Shall we plant it freely or shall we hesitate and wait? Now we print on page 512 testimonials from several growers. These opinions are sincere and honest. They do not all agree in details, but in the essentials they are the same, namely, that the Cortthey are the same, namely, that the Cort-land when properly handled is a high qualland when properly handled is a high quality, McIntosh-type apple which prolongs McIntosh season, handles better than McIntosh, and hangs exceptionally well, while the tree is hardy and a regular and early bearer. It appears more promising than many varieties now being more widely advertised and more extensively grown. It seems especially suited to the sections in which McIntosh does well."

That British Nurserymen are paying attention to use of names of plants, is shown by the following in the Horticultural Journal: "Nurserymen are often perplexed by some of the common names of things asked for, and there is no better book of reference for the common names of plants than the Dictionary of English Plant Names, published by John Murray."

'Nursery trade in the north-central region will continue as a hand-to-mouth affair un-til the Federal government takes heed of the needs of agriculture as a basic industry."—Jewell Nursery Co., Lake City, Minn.

Dr. George G. Atwood Retires

Editor American Nurseryman:

Having reached the maximum age of re-tirement in the state service this 31st day of March, 197, I am leaving my position as director of the Bureau of Plant Industry. My chief regret consists of the suspension

My chief regret consists of the suspension of active co-operation with my associates in the department, the inspectors in the field, and the various state and federal authorities enagged in collateral lines of work.

The hosts of acquaintances and friends made in the past twenty-nine years will always be cherished.

In passing my keys of responsibility over to Mr. B. D. Van Buren, who has been as-sociated with the Bureau for twenty-five years, I ask for him the generous considera-tion and support I have always thankfully

GEO G. ATWOOD. Albany, N. Y.

Dr. Atwood was one of the first of the state entomological directors to co-operate fully with Nurserymen. He has held an fully with Nurserymen. He has held an attitude of sympathetic aid to those in the trade. He has been freely consulted by Nurserymen and has repeatedly attended their meetings upon invitation. He published the first list of state entomologists and horticultural inspectors of the country in connection with a summary of state inspection laws and this compilation was and this compilation. tion laws and this compilation was in much demand outside of as well as in New York State; the idea afterward being adopted by other state departments of inspection. The trade uniformily regrets Dr. Atwood's re-

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PRACTICAL POINTERS ON CITY BEAUTIFICATION By Jacob L. Crane, Consulting Engineer, at Illinois Nurserymen's Meeting

City beautification and improvement, as this address is entitled, I have limited to a discussion of largely planting in our city. In my opinion, there is no single factor in city beautification and city improvement as important as the plantations in a city, the wegetation in a city. Without this vegetation, even Paris would present a hard, bar-

ren picture.
One of the most famous American archi-One of the most famous American architects recently came back from Europe and in the course of a series of lectures which he was giving discussed the city of Paris, called it the most beautiful city in the world, and he went on to say that the city of Paris was dependent upon its great avenues, upon its magnificent public buildings, and its great public gardens, and the atmosphere of the town but aside from all those things. of the town, but aside from all those things, and more important than any of them its beauty depended upon its trees and that without its trees Paris, like all other towns,

would be a barren and unsatisfactory city, from the visual standpoint. Visitors from all parts of the wor!! come to this section of our country and from other sections of this country, in fact, and are amazed at the wealth of our vegetation and delight with it. If they are wise to this kind of thing they realize that that is probably the most important item in the beauty of our country towns and countryside and then we who go from this section of the country to California, say, or to other sec-tions of the Southwest, miss the vegetation very seriously, and I think that no towns in those arid territories can be made beauti ful in comparison with our towns and towns in sections where vegetation is rich, be-cause of the lack of their trees and shrubs

cause of the lack of their trees and shrubs. I just returned from a trip to Oklahoma where I visited a small city called Ponca City, built on the strength of an oil operation and built on an arid plateau with very little vegetation to begin with. The single individual largely responsible for this town has a hobby for trees and shrubs. They have planted their trees and their yards and their golf course and their parks, and in fact have arranged several very interesting and beautiful vistas through the plantations carefully designed, and planted as tions carefully designed, and planted as a result their town is utterly a contrast to the towns in their neighborhood in Oklahoma, it stands out as the beginning of really beautiful town instead of a barre of a barren.

stark town that is typical of Oklahoma.

So, in discussing city beautification, I think I might limit it to a discussion of city vegetation, city plantation, and city ordinance. That seems appropriate to me. ance.

The first thing then that occurs to me in discussing that particular phase of the probdiscussing that particular phase of the prob-lem is the poor maintenance of trees in most parts of our towns. Some of our cities have city foresters and city forestry depart-ments who look after and maintain the trees, but taking it by large our American towns are very far behind on maintenance of their street and trees and other planta-tions. The city of Chicago is becoming, in my opinion, one of the handsomest cities in the world, particularly along the lake shore. world, particularly along the lake shore, the world, particularly along the lake shore, the lake front, with the lake front parks, public buildings, and so on; but most of Chicago, I think, will always appear to be an ugly, unkept city until a rigorous policy is put into effect for the planting and maintenance of street trees. This, of course, is not news to you. It does not need to be proven in this andience, certainly, but for the general public in a town like Chicago, I think it is very important. I think the I think it is very important. I think the average business man in Chicago has no conception at all of the importance to him of the vegetation in his town.

The same thing, of course, is true of near-ly all of our rapidly industrial cities. Even where city foresters are employed they have

where city foresters are employed they have usually too small an appropriation and too small a staff to do their work properly, and as a result most of our towns in comparison to maturely developed, maturely beautified towns, are still barren and ugly.

Now, there is a matter that has interested me lately in connection with city planning. That is the unified design of plantations for block lengths or street lengths in any given city. Most towns at the most plant their street trees. There are a few exceptions,

but most towns plant only their street trees, and take no consideration of the relation-ship between the front yards of the private properties and parkways, trees, and the tree plantations. I think there are very great possibilities, both for the landscape architects and for the Nurserymen in the designing of plantations throughout the lots' length and streets' length, say, in any town.

Lake Forest has got examples of that, and some of them are very beautiful. The Ravenswood Park district of the northwest side in Chicago was organized for that par-ticular purpose, to plant and maintain trees and shrubs in the parkways, and in the yards, as a unified scheme, and the result, as you know, is very satisfactory. It is not easy to get the property owners of even one block to agree upon even the type of design let alone in the selection of the plants themselves. But I think that with more examples like Lake Forest and Ravenawood Park district coming along neonle will wood Park district coming along people will realize that possibility, and I think it should be emphasized in our discussion with lay-men and the public in the matters of city vegetation.

Another item on that same question. Nursery and the landscape architect ordinarily realizes the importance of the winter effect of plantations. The layman, I think very often does not. Again this point, of Again this point, of very often does not. Again this point, or course, is aimed at the public and not at this audience, because we certainly would agree upon it. But in our city beautification through the planting and maintenance of trees and shrubs, the winter effect has got to be given more consideration. sonally don't like evergreens. I sonally don't like evergreens. I think I stand alone, perhaps, in this whole audience in that regard. Evergreens, in my mind where they are not native, don't take the place of other winter effect. I much prefer the winter effects of color and protection and so on than I do the use of evergreens as substitutes. Of course the evergreen has a contrasting effect to the casual layman, much more effective perhaps than our deciduous shrubs and trees. But I still our deciduous shrubs and trees. But I still think that. Again I might refer to Lake Forest, where the winter effects frequently are very fine. Of course they have had good landscape architects working there for a number of years. That little place on Sheridan Road where the road dips into a bellow the effect right now against the hollow, the effect right now against the snow of the red and yellow barn, the shrubs planted there is, I think, very beautiful, and to my mind more beautiful than it would be if evergreens were attempted in that particular spot. Of course, I know that the evergreen costs a lot of money. That is one reason I am against it. As a matter of fact, I think it costs more than it sometimes is worth for any particular use.

Another point that I think our American nublic is still not well educated on is the matter of cutting trees. They have this old slogan: "Woodman, spare that tree." It seems to be saving a lot of trees that should seems to be saving a lot of trees that should have been cut. In many of our parks certainly a lot of trees might be cut out. The trees are now so thick that no shadow and no shade can be had, because the whole thing is shade, no effect of contrast between sunlight and shadow, between sunlight and shade. The result in my mind is not nearly as beautiful or nearly as good for the lawns are for the growth of the is not nearly as beautiful or nearly as good for the lawns nor for the growth of the trees, of course, as it would be if some of the trees were cut out. I think in that again the Nurseryman and architect has some obligation to help educate our public in the matter of setting out trees. I know of a corner lot where as long as the present of a corner lot where as long as the present owner owns the lot he will never let a be cut, and the trees are too thick. I think if half the trees were cut out the effect would be very much better, so far as appearance is concerned, and also better for the sake of the lawn and for the growth of the trees that were left. It is that kind of a question exactly that is involved in this idea of developing a unified design for trees between buildings and the pavement, taking yards, parkways—the whole thing into consideration.

Over-planting and planting of too much stock is certainly responsible for lots of

very bad landscape effects. In that respect, the Nurserymen are as responsible as any-body else, and I think in many cases more I think of one instance where a little eighteen-foot lawn strip around the inside of the fence outlining a playground area was planted with Lombardy poplars spaced 6 feet apart, an 18 foot strip. The 18 foot strip was intended to be used for lawn purposes, where the mother and baby could sit and play on the grass. As a result of this plantation the thing looked like a big surpresemble couldn't be used for anything. curry-comb, couldn't be used for anything, and of course the trees themselves didn't

This is not new with you. You probably This is not new with you. You probably are razzing each other all the time on the same point, but Nurserymen certainly sometimes overplant. Of course, obviously, that is done to get rid of the stock; they sometimes do it where they think it is good design, but I think there are mistakes made in that direction, certainly.

I belong to the American Society of Landscape Architects because that field includes city planning, along with other things, but I have been interested in what seens to be a conflict between the landscape architects and Nurserymen, in some directions. I

and Nurserymen, in some directions. I think the conflict is unfortunate and I really believe unnecessary. I have for a long time believed it would be a good idea to have some joint arrangement for associanave some joint arrangement for associa-tion meetings. I think, to begin with, if the landscape society would have a meeting like this, where discussions are direct, as your are, that the meeting would amount to something.

The landscape architects, in my opinion, are to be criticised more than the Nurserymen, if anything, on the conflict between them. There are things I don't think I know nearly as much about as you fellows do, so I think for the good of the landscape architect society and the Nurserymen they should join, some joint arrangement for so-ciety meetings and discussions, would be very valuable, and that would serve at least in time, to ease the breach that seems to

exist between them.

So I say that we ought to quarrel, not about such insignificant matters as who is a professional man and who is not, we ought to quarrel by all means about matters of design, about utilizing plants and material. Those questions are very import-ant to us all. The success of the whole thing depends on the outcome of those. We ought to quarrel about design. I have only heard a little discussion here and that was almost purely business discussion. I pre-sume most all discussions goes to business affairs, but if we could have a joint meeting of the landscape architects and the Nurserymen I think they would be given an op-portunity to quarrel, not about our standing portunity to quarrel, not about our standing but about matters of design. Certainly landscape design is in its Infancy in this country. We have this landscape style, informal style, which has been traditional with us now, and is accepted and recognized as such, nobody quarrels about it much. It is a style that doesn't belong to us permanent, and seems to attent itself in the New ly, and seems to attach itself in the New England cities now because it has been used there so long, but I know we need develop-ment in our landscape design, and I think we could get a good deal out of it by de-voting our attention to that rather than quarrels that don't amount to very much.

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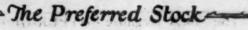
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